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### A Pretty Experiment.

The accompanying cut is not unlike a practical demonstration of the strength of certain cements shown along the city streets. But this case is not one of the cement-fastening; the adhesion here illustrated is made solely by the pressure of the air.

It is impossible, without an air-pump, to produce a perfect vacuum, but one sufficient for the purpose of this experiment may be produced by means of a bit of burning paper. Suspend a wine-glass from a chandelier of the ceiling by a string, as shown in the cut, and hold the burning paper under it. The air will dilate with the heat and in



cooling will make a partial vacuum in the interior of the glass.

This will suffice to cause a porcelain plate to adhere to the glass, provided you press it to the glass firmly and evenly before the cooling of the air begins. As a precaution, to secure an air-tight joint, you might rub the surface of the plate with suet.

The principle here illustrated is the equal pressure of the atmosphere on all sides, except in the interior of the glass, where there is a vacuum, thus keeping the two articles together.

### Start Your Hyacinths Now.

Now is the time to start hyacinth bulbs in glasses in order to have them flower early in the winter. The glasses must be filled with water, so as just to escape touching the base of the bulb. They must be kept in a cool, dry cupboard from which all light is excluded till the roots have grown about half-way down the glasses, which takes from two to three weeks. The glasses are then placed for a day or two in a subdued light until the shoots the bulbs have made get accustomed to the change. They may then be placed in a window or wherever wanted. Care must be taken to replenish the glasses with water as it evaporates. Snow-drop and crocus bulbs may now be planted in small bowls and other dishes, filled with damp moss for early flowering.

### The Economical Cow.

As all successful breeders realize, the time is past when we can wholly rely upon the pedigree as a guide in selecting the animals whose characteristics we wish to perpetuate in our flocks or herds. Not that the law of heredity is any less true than formerly, but because we are coming to appreciate that an animal parent is more likely to transmit its own characteristics rather than those of some ancestors. So, instead of studying the pedigree and the pedigree only, the breeder of today will study in its connection the individuality, the type and general conformation of the animal with special reference to their economy of production, appreciating the fact that more and more will the "cost of production" be the standpoint from which all animals kept for production be judged. Applying this principle to dairy cattle, the question is raised, What sort of a cow is the most economical and therefore the best cow? That cow is the most profitable which will produce a pound of butter fat the most economically, and although it is conceded that there is more difference in the individuals of the same breeds than there is in the different breeds, that breed which contains the greatest proportion of most economical cows is the best breed.

In order for a cow to produce a pound of butter fat economically (which should be the standard by which all dairy cows should be judged), she must be able to consume a large amount of coarse fodder, which, of necessity, will always be grown in large quantities by every farmer and dairyman. All of these coarse foods contain the same ingredients found in the grains and concentrated by-products, but not in the same proportion, and for this reason a cow is obliged to eat 40 pounds of corn stalks to get the amount of nutriment which she would obtain from a few pounds of corn meal and bran for example. Hence it follows that if an animal can consume enough roughage, whose intrinsic value is a very few cents, and get from it the same amount of digestive nutrients that would be obtained in eight pounds of highly concentrated food which is intrinsically worth that many cents or more, she will be, by far, more profitable than one whose limited capacity will allow her to take but a few pounds of roughage and the main part of whose ration must be highly concentrated and expensive.

Considering the general type of the Holstein breed, is it too much to say that as a breed it contains a greater proportion of cows capable, on account of their large storage capacities, of making butter cheaper than any other breed? I was very much interested in looking over the results obtained at the Minnesota Experiment Station from a herd of 23 cows composed of nearly all breeds and their grades, to find that in a year's trial the cow that produced the most butter was a high-grade Holstein and that the next greatest amount was produced by a registered Holstein, the two making 494 and 453 pounds respectively, at an average cost per pound of 8.96 cents and 9.06 cents. Of course it is unfair to draw any conclusions from so few figures, but they certainly serve to indicate that the large, roomy Holstein, properly handled, has before her a future as a large and economical butter producer.—H. Hayward in Journal of Agriculture.

### Helps of All Kinds.

It is said that a new potato grated finely and then used instead of soap to wash with is good.

An acceptable way of quenching the baby's thirst is to tie a little well-cracked ice in a piece of soft, clear muslin.

Salad dressing does not often require the cook stove to prepare it, since oil, vinegar, cream and eggs may be used.

When a grate fire in a sickroom needs replenishing, fill a paper bag with coal and put it on the embers. This prevents all noise.

Sawdust and chamois skin as polishers after cut glass has been thoroughly washed in hot soap suds will make it glitter and sparkle.

A common cause of failure in making fancy bread and rolls is mixing the dough too stiff. It should be soft enough to be easily worked, without being in the least sticky.

Cereals should not be boiled simply in water, but in a mixture of equal parts of milk and water. They should not be stirred, for stirring makes them starchy, but cooked in a double boiler.

Washing soda, moistened to a paste will brighten tins quickly and a teaspoonful added to a tablespoonful of Spanish whiting will make a paste that will clean marble if it is allowed to dry there.

A good recipe for orange water ice is One quart water; one pound sugar, the outer rind of one and the juice of three or four oranges. Strain into a can and pack ice and salt around it, and freeze and scrape it down until it is sufficiently frozen.

### Interesting Items Gleaned and Arranged from the Daily Press.

Mrs. Robert Herbert, of Fort Worth, was recently burned to death while attempting to kindle a fire with kerosene oil. She poured a small quantity in a cup and placed it on the fuel. She neglected to remove the large can from close proximity to the fire, and a match was lighted the flames spread to the can, causing it to explode and scattering its burning contents all over her person. In her agony she rushed to the bed and in hope of smothering the flames sought shelter between the feather beds both of which ignited. Her screams attracted neighbors, who, on entering, found the lady seated on the bed, a mass of flames. The fire was extinguished, but not before she was fatally burned, and dying a few hours later. She leaves three children.

Vice President Sawyer has officially notified Clark & Co., on behalf of Mr. Alexander Brown, that they have been awarded the second contract for deep water at Aransas Pass. All doubts of the great work being pushed to speedy completion are now put to flight and the sincerity of Mr. Brown and his company in their pledge to build a great seaport at the pass is established. The first contract only called for fifteen feet of water, and as this depth has now almost been secured and will be obtained about February 1, it became a question whether the project would be permitted to rest or be carried out to permanent success. This action settles the whole business. It means deep water absolutely and without fail.

A few days since the dead body of T. J. Smith, colored, was found on the banks of the Trinity, near Simonds, Dallas county. The body was among a lot of drift wood and was thus hid from view. The throat was cut and the skull was crushed in. Smith disappeared from the neighborhood about three weeks ago and the body had the appearance of having been dead about that long. Justice Charles Woodson held an inquest over the body, but found no clue to the murderer.

At Carbon, Eastland county, the other evening, after the eastbound train had passed, a lady aged some 20 years, accompanied by a baby about 1 year old, called at the McDaniel hotel for lodging until train time. During the night the heartless mother abandoned her baby, leaving a note on the bed requesting the child be sent to the Orphans' Home at Dallas. The child is a fine looking boy. Mrs. McDaniel says she "would not take a horse for it."

Martin Julian, manager for Fitzsimmons, asked reporters to make public the following proposition for him: "In case Fitz defeats Maher on the 14th of February, he will leave his \$10,000 side bet in the hands of the referee for a fight the next day, February 15, with Corbett, if Dan Stuart will agree to offer a suitable purse. If Corbett accepts this proposition he can hold himself in readiness at El Paso while Fitz is fighting Maher."

The other morning when Sheriff Chappell of Jerseyville, Ill., went to the jail at Dallas, to get Jasper Howard, he discovered Harry Heighill in the jail, whom he has wanted for some time on a charge of assaulting a woman. He telegraphed at once for requisition papers, and received word that they had been forwarded.

The other morning at 5:30 o'clock Joe Walls, living three miles north of Morgan, Bosque county, was fired on while feeding his horses by an unknown party. The would-be assassin missed his aim and escaped. Officers are making a diligent search for him.

President Winston of the University of North Carolina has accepted the invitation to deliver the annual address at the commencement exercises of the State University next June.

Recently, at Bartlett, Williamson county, Dave Thompson, was held up by two negroes and robbed of his watch and about \$23 in cash. There is no clue to the robbers.

The city school board of Fort Worth is seriously considering the advisability of curtailing the public free school term some months, owing to the largely decreased revenue.

The second annual show of the Texas State Poultry association at Galveston was creditable in the interest taken and in the number and variety of the fowls exhibited.

An infant child of William Hufford of Stanley, I. T., which had been carried to Paris for medical treatment, dropped dead, as a result of a stroke of paralysis.

The "grand midwinter tournament" will be held in San Antonio from January 7 to 11 inclusive. There will be thirty-eight events and \$2000 added money.

Cows, horses and hogs can no longer run at large in Bowie. The town has put on city style and adopted a stock impounding ordinance by a vote of the people.

Recently at Hubbard City, Hill county, George Hill, colored, while riding across a race track in front of a race was run over and killed by a horse.

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